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GOVERNMENT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH

FOOD AND SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Simla-2, the 8th February, 1973

No. 11-9/71-Coop (F&S).—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), read with Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Food, Order No. G.S.R.316-E, dated the 20th June, 1972, the Governor of Himachal Pradesh is pleased to make the following Order, namely:—

Short title, extend and commencement.—(1) This Order may be called the Himachal Pradesh Guest Control (First Amendment) Order, 1973.

(2) It extends to the whole of Himachal Pradesh.

(3) It shall come into force with immediate effect.

The following shall be substituted for Clause 3 of the Himachal Pradesh Guest Control Order, 1973:—

3. Restriction on preparation, Consumption and Distribution of Prohibited Foodstuffs.—(1) No person, or body of persons acting in concert either jointly or severally, other than a caterer at or in connection with one or more parties, entertainments or functions, shall, on any one day, either himself or themselves, prepare, serve, distribute or provide for consumption, or

accept or contribute for service or distribution for consumption, any prohibited foodstuff to more than 25 persons (including the host or hosts) at ordinary parties or entertainments or social or other functions or to more than 100 persons (including the host or hosts) in connection with marriages or funerals;

(2) No caterer at the instance or for the benefit of himself or any person in connection with one or more of his own or such person's parties, entertainments or functions, shall, on any one day either himself or through any other caterer, serve, distribute or provide for consumption, or accept for service or distribution for consumption, any prohibited foodstuff to more than 25 persons (including the host or hosts) at ordinary parties or entertainments or social or other functions or to more than 100 persons (including the host or hosts) in connection with marriages or funerals;

(3) No person shall accept or consume any prohibited foodstuff at or in connection with any party, entertainment, social or other function, marriage or funeral where the number of participants (including the host or hosts) exceeds 25 in the case of ordinary parties, entertainments or social or other functions or where such number exceeds 100 (including the host or hosts) in the case of marriages or funerals:

Provided that nothing in this clause shall apply to:—

- (i) parties, entertainments or social or other functions in the premises serving as the headquarters of the diplomatic or consular representatives or Governmental Missions of foreign countries;
- (ii) the proprietor, manager or other person in charge of a residential establishment, institutional establishment or catering establishment serving food to consumers or residents in the course of regular business and not in connection with any party, entertainment or social or other function given at the instance of himself or of any other person;
- (iii) the distribution of food containing any prohibited foodstuffs by way of "*bhog*" or "*prasad*" or "*langar*" or as part of a recognised religious ceremony in any temple, mosque, gurdwara, church or place of religious worship.

GANGESH MISRA,
Secretary.